

The U.S. Embassy in Quito, Ecuador requires buying “PR11733572_ Handheld Raman Portable Chemical Analysis System” with the following characteristics:

Technical Specifications				
Item	Product	Description	Unit.	Qty
1	Handheld Raman Portable Chemical Analysis System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identification: explosives, precursors, hazardous chemicals, and narcotics. (At least). ▪ Integrated digital camera: Records sample evidence and stores it with analysis. ▪ Output power: analysis parameters for maximum accuracy. ▪ Weight: 1.4kg (3.25lbs) referential parameter ▪ Software: Automated colorimetry software1021710 ▪ Library: Expansive with more than 13,000 chemicals. (At least). ▪ Training in the use of the equipment should be considered. ▪ Technical assistance 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, by phone or email. ▪ Warranty: The warranty must be identical to that provided by the original manufacturer and must be fully valid in Ecuador 1 year minimum. 	u	2

- Delivery can only be coordinated through the point of contact (POC) designated by INL. The Vendor will be responsible of any storage costs that might be incurred before delivery.
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- All items must be new, unopened, and must meet or exceed the specifications detailed. Refurbished, used, or recycled items are not acceptable.
- Quality control: If end user or INL Ecuador officials finds an incomplete or defective material/item/equipment, they should immediately refrain from receiving it and notify the Contractor. If the Contractor fails to meet the performance standard, the U.S. Government reserves the right to act, including a deduction from any invoice.
- Equipment will be delivered in Quito -Ecuador – INCOTERM DDP (Door to Door – Delivery Duty Paid).

- Value Added Tax (VAT) is not included in the CLIN rates. Instead, it will be priced as a separate Line Item in the contract and on Invoices. Local law dictates the portion of the contract price that is subject to VAT; this percentage is multiplied only against that portion.
- The payment method used by the Embassy of the United States of America is: 100% payment in 30 days once the goods are received and the invoice is submitted. No advance payment is considered.
- We will evaluate offers based on the best value to the US Government, please see below the following tentative schedule:
 - Questions regarding to this bid will be received by July 5,2023.
 - Responses to all the questions will be provided by July 12, 2023.
 - Final offers will be received by 4:00 pm local time, July 19, 2023.
- Direct any questions regarding this project to Hernan M. Salazar Procurement Agent, at telephone number +593 2398-5294 or +593 99-467-1715, Email: Quito-INL-RFQ@state.gov, in writing to same e-mail addresses.
- **Pursuant to FAR 4.1102, bidders are required to be registered in SAM (System for Award Management) at the time a quotation is submitted. In order to register to SAM, please follow the instructions detailed in the following link: <https://sam.gov/content/home>**